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EXECUTIVE ORDERS, PROCLAMATIONS OF GENERAL APPLICABILITY, AND STATEMENTS ISSUED BY THE GOVERNOR PURSUANT TO A.R.S. § 41-1013(B)(3)

The Administrative Procedure Act (APA) requires the full-text publication of all Executive Orders and Proclamations of General Applicability issued by the Governor. In addition, the *Register* shall include each statement filed by the Governor in granting a commutation, pardon or reprieve, or stay or suspension of execution where a sentence of death is imposed.

EXECUTIVE ORDER 99-1 REQUIRING COORDINATION AMONG VARIOUS STATE AGENCIES TO FIGHT HUNGER

WHEREAS, Arizona has a strong commitment to ending hunger in the state; and

WHEREAS, Arizona affirms that hunger anywhere in Arizona is a threat to our well-being everywhere in Arizona; and

WHEREAS, Arizona recognizes that adequate nutrition creates a population that is productive and able to achieve its potential; and

WHEREAS, the Joint Legislative Committee on Hunger and the Arizona Hunger Advisory Council continue to document the magnitude of the state's hunger problem; and

WHEREAS, the coordinated efforts of various state agencies is essential to addressing the issues of hunger.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby direct the following state agencies to work with each other and with the community in order to achieve a coordinated approach to addressing hunger in Arizona: Departments of Administration, Agriculture, Corrections, Education, Economic Security and Health Services. Specific activities of the state agencies shall include but not be limited to:

1. Department of Administration -- working with food and nutrition programs/agencies eligible to receive property under the federal donation program regarding equipment and other needs that may be met from state surplus property;

- 2. Department of Agriculture -- promoting the donations of excess product by growers and partnering with statewide gleaning efforts;
- 3. Department of Corrections -- continuing the practice of providing inmates for gleaning and other services at no cost to the food bank network:
- Department of Economic Security, Education and Health Services -- providing leadership through coordination and support to address the issues of hunger.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this Eighth day of February in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-Third.

ATTEST:

Betsey Bayless Secretary of State

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EXECUTIVE ORDER 99-2 ESTABLISHING A GOVERNOR'S TRANSPORTATION VISION 21 TASK FORCE

WHEREAS, a well-developed, reliable transportation system is acknowledged to be crucial to the growth and economic vitality of the State of Arizona; and

WHEREAS, a high-quality transportation system is essential to the continued development and enhancement of intrastate, as well as interstate commerce; and

WHEREAS, an efficient transportation system is more than public highways and roadways. It is a comprehensive network of multimodal components that work together to provide the orderly transportation of goods, services and people; and

WHEREAS, the development, funding and maintenance of an efficient and effective transportation system is a shared responsibility of the state, local governments and agencies, and the federal government; and

WHEREAS, due to the expanding economy and rapid population growth in the State of Arizona, there exists an urgent need to evaluate existing processes, resources and infrastructures; and

WHEREAS, the Seventieth Arizona Town Hall, recognizing the crucial need for transportation evaluation and planning, called for the establishment of a Governor's Task Force to build consensus and recommend planning and funding strategies for Arizona's multimodal transportation future.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor by the Arizona Constitution and the laws of the State, do hereby establish the Governor's Transportation Vision 21 Task Force (Governor's Vision-21 Task Force) to serve the purpose of evaluating current practices, resources and infrastructures, and recommending and prioritizing the goals, funding, and specific plans that will establish a vision for transportation in Arizona for the 21st century.

- 1. The members of the Task Force shall be appointed by the Governor and will serve at the pleasure of the Governor for up to two years.
 - a. The Task Force membership will include two Co-chairs to be named by the Governor.
 - b. The Task Force will include the Director of the Arizona Department of Transportation and atlarge members representing the business community, the general public and other diverse parties interested in the improvement of Arizona's transportation system.
 - c. The Department of Transportation will serve as staff to the Task Force.
- 2. The Task Force shall identify critical, long-range transpor-

tation needs in both rural and urban areas of this state. The Task Force shall develop preliminary estimates of the long-term (minimum of twenty years) cost of implementing a comprehensive, multimodal, long-range transportation system plan and compare the estimated cost to estimated revenues from existing federal, state and local transportation funding streams.

- 3. The Task Force shall identify and recommend planning approaches and funding strategies to be used to establish a comprehensive, fully integrated, multimodal system that serves the future transportation needs of all of Arizona. The Task Force should consider all aspects of transportation, including but not limited to, public roadways, highways, bus service, passenger rail service, aviation, bicycle and travel reduction programs. The Task Force's strategies or recommendations should address both rural and urban transportation issues, as well as freight concerns throughout the state.
- 4. The Task Force shall study and recommend guidelines and procedures for prioritizing Arizona's transportation needs and expenditures in relationship to the responsibilities of the Arizona Transportation Board, the Arizona Department of Transportation, local governments throughout the State and local planning agencies.
- 5. The Task Force shall review the structure and responsibilities, with regard to transportation planning, of the State Transportation Board, the Arizona Department of Transportation, local governments throughout the state, and local planning agencies, and include any recommended changes in its final report.
- 6. The Task Force shall submit an interim report on or before December 15, 1999, and a final report to the Governor by December 31, 2000. Both reports shall contain "consensus" findings and recommendations of the Task Force. The reports will be made available to Arizona's congressional delegation, the members of the Arizona State Legislature, state, county and local transportation departments, the state's universities and the private sector, including community and citizens groups.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this Ninth day of February in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred Ninetynine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-Third.

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ATTEST:

Betsey Bayless Secretary of State

EXECUTIVE ORDER 99-3 RECEIPT OF CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD INFORMATION MAYER FIRE DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Mayer Fire District is responsible under Section 48-805, Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.), to employ any personnel necessary for fire protection and preservation of life, and it would be in the best interests of the state to inquire into the character and past criminal conduct of employees and volunteers; and

WHEREAS, the Arizona Department of Public Safety maintains a Central State Repository pursuant to A.R.S. 41-1750 for the purpose of procuring and maintaining information concerning arrests and convictions of persons for public offenses in Arizona; and

WHEREAS, the Central State Repository is authorized pursuant to A.R.S. 41-1750 to provide criminal history record information to noncriminal justice agencies of the State for the purpose of evaluating the fitness of prospective and current employees and volunteers; and

WHEREAS, the Mayer Fire District is considered a noncriminal justice agency of the State; and

WHEREAS, noncriminal justice agencies of the State may receive criminal history record information from the Arizona Department of Public Safety pursuant to A.R.S.

41-1750 only by specific authority granted to that agency by statute, ordinance or executive order, and subject to rules of the Arizona Department of Public Safety.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jane Dee Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, under authority provided by A.R.S. 41-1750, hereby authorize the Central State Repository of the Arizona Department of Public Safety to provide, upon receipt of applicant fingerprint cards, and the chief officer of the Mayer Fire District to receive, criminal history record information for the purpose of evaluating the fitness of prospective employees and volunteers in accordance with those rules issued by the Arizona Department of Public Safety.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona.

Jane Dee Hull Governor

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this Tenth Day of February in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Nine and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Twenty-Third.

ATTEST:

Betsey Bayless Secretary of State